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June 14, 2010

Architectural Review Board City of Chesterfield 690 Chesterfield Parkway West Chesterfield, Missouri 63017

Spirit of St. Louis Air Park (Tac Air): Amended Site Development Plan, Landscape Plan, Architectural Elevations, and Architect's Statement of Design for a 2.128 acre tract of land zoned "M3" Planned Industrial District located south of the Edison Avenue and Spirit of St. Louis Boulevard intersection (17V120242 & 17V110243).

Board Members:

Bax Engineering in co-operation with Zwick & Gandt Architecture has submitted an Amended Site Development Plan, Landscape Plan, and Architectural Elevations for the above referenced project. The Department of Planning and Public Works has reviewed this request and submits the following report.

Submittal Information

The request is to revise exterior facades to include the addition of two (2) canopies to the building; the first to be located at the front of the building providing shelter to the main entrance, and the second at the rear of the building providing shelter to those boarding and de-boarding aircraft. In conjunction with the canopy located at the main entrance, the driveway is proposed to be modified to better facilitate vehicle navigation along this area of the site. An addition of 1,171 sf. of building space is also being proposed at the rear of the existing structure. Please review the project's compliance with the Architectural Review Board Guidelines.

Departmental Input

The submittal was reviewed for compliance with the Architectural Review Board Guidelines and City of Chesterfield Ordinance 1430. The request as presented currently meets all applicable requirements and standards of the City of Chesterfield. Signage is

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not reviewed during this part of the process and will be reviewed by the Department of Planning and Public Works.

Actions Requested

The Department of Planning and Public Works requests action by the Architectural Review Board on this information presented.

Respectfully submitted,

Shawn Seymour, AICP Senior Planner

Attachments

- 1. ARB Design Review Checklist
- 2. Statement from Applicant

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Guidelines Review Checklist

Project Name: Sprit of St. Louis Airport,

(TacAir)

Date of Review: 6-17-2010

Guideline Description	Addressed as Written	Addressed with Modification (1)	Comments and Reference (2)
Applicability and Compliance			
General Requirements for Site Design			
A. Site Relationships	Х		
B. Circulation System and Access	Х		Minor modification from current layout to better facilitate vehicular navigation
C. Topography	NA		
D. Retaining Walls	NA		There are no proposed retaining walls.
General Requirements for Building Design			
A. Scale	Х		
B. Design	Х		
C. Materials and Color	Х		The proposal is consistent with the existing materials and colors
D. Landscape Design and Screening	Х		
E. Signage	NA		Not submitted for review at this time.
F. Lighting	NA		There are no proposed changes to the lighting.
Use Type:			
Access	Х		
Exterior Elements	Х		
Landscaping and Screening	Х		
Scale	Х		
Site Design	Х		

Notes:

⁽¹⁾ A check in this column refers to the item being addressed in the submission, but with potential variation from the guidelines that review by the Board is specifically requested.
(2) Comments provide additional information regarding the status of specific design guidelines.

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TAC-Air Spirit of St. Louis Airport

Date: May 27, 2010 Project Number: 10018.00

Architect's Statement

City of Chesterfield Design Guidelines

This project consists of miscellaneous interior renovations, exterior façade upgrades, small office space additions and new front and back canopies. Site circulation will be reworked so that vehicular traffic flows better and patrons have a covered patio to be dropped off and picked up. Upgrades to the pedestrian circulation will be performed to allow for new alterations.

General Requirements for Site Design

A. Site Relationships

The size, design, and orientation of the proposed work are in concert with the existing terrain, existing buildings and surrounding area. The design of the building does not impair or interfere with the development or enjoyment of the other properties within the area. All other existing fencing and screening will remain the same.

This project does not adversely affect the existing site relationships nor modify the existing compatibility with neighboring developments. Its improved façade will only benefit the environment. The transition from the street to the existing building will be unchanged except the reworking of portion of the drive to allow for a new covered drop-off/pick-up. The safe pedestrian movement that currently exists will only be improved by adding new sidewalks in place of some of the existing to allow for new canopy. People will be provided with a weather protected area as well as an easier access to the building.

This project requires no additional parking but due to the drive change some parking will have to be reworked.

B. Circulation System and Access

The improved circulation systems are designed to avoid conflicts between vehicular, bicycle and pedestrian traffic to and from building on site.

- Bicycle Circulation: Improved sidewalks will improve existing bicycle circulation.
- Pedestrian Circulation: Improved by wider sidewalks, weather protected areas
 for people arriving to the building and waiting on their plane. Pedestrians will not
 have to cross main traffic patterns to get to and from their cars in the parking
 lot.
- Vehicular Circulation: The new canopy will provide a weather protected pick-up/drop-off area, the vehicular site circulation will be improved by a wider bigger radius drive/ at the pick-up/drop-off as well as navigating through the site. Cars entering and leaving the site won't have to "look" for the entrance.
- Parking: Due to the canopy addition and reworking of the drive some parking will
 have to be reworked/ there are more then enough existing parking spaces that
 are to the side of the existing building. Parking in front of the building is not
 proposed.
- Pedestrian Orientation: This project provides a new front entrance canopy signifying the entrance. It will be much better seen from the street and visible to pedestrians.

C. Topography

Due to the limited scope of work related to this project, there will be no changes to the existing topography. The revisions with the drive and surroundings of the building will complement the existing topography.

D. Retaining Walls

Due to the limited scope of work related to this project, there will be no changes to the existing retaining wall and no new walls will be added.

General Requirements for Building Design

A. Scale

- Building Scale: Building height is in concert to other building on neighboring properties. Elevations are part of this packet that show heights.
- Human Scale: The sense of human scale established by the existing building will not be affected by the alterations and additions of the new canopies.
- Generic Scale: The architectural design of the alterations and additional canopies are compatible with the remainder of the existing building and the surrounding buildings in that area.

B. Design

All three facades have been designed to an equal level of detail and quality. The elevations of the new canopies as well as façade improvements will blend in with the existing surrounding architecture. The exterior walls of the existing building are painted brick which will be fully covered by an Exterior Insulation Finish System (E.I.F.S.) on all three sides. Reveals in E.I.F.S. will complement the façade and create visual interest in the building. New front and rear canopies will also be out of (E.I.F.S.) with additional stone base at columns. Their curved roof lines will complement the existing boxy look of the building and create interest as well as focal points to the entrances. New windows are added at entry points, as well as other areas of the building to allow for more natural lights. A painted stripe will complement the façade as shown on building elevations.

C. Materials and Colors

The materials and colors will be compatible to adjacent buildings and properties. While mostly earth-tone colors will be picked for- walls, stone, sheet metal, windows, and roof-they will also be very durable and long lasting. Glass will be clear and not reflective. Prefinished anodized aluminum frames will be used for storefronts and windows for durability. Highly reflective materials and prefabricated buildings will not be used. Most of the materials are on all elevations and are used in thoughtful logical applications. All elevations look alike and there is a definite continuity.

D. Landscape Design and Screening

- Development Landscaping: Due to limited scope of work for this project very limited landscaping will be done. All new landscaping will be complementing existing.
- Building Landscaping: Due to limited scope of work for this project, the removed vegetation at and around the new work added to this building will be replaced in the original locations.
- Parking Landscaping: Due to limited scope of work for this project, only small changes in form of one planter area and two grass islands will be added to the parking lot as seen on the colored site plan.
- Walls and Fences: Due to limited scope of work for this project, no changes to the existing fencing or other means of screening will occur.
- Screening: Due to limited scope of work for this project, no changes to the existing means of screening will occur.

E. Signage

 A "Tac-Air" sign will be located on north and south elevations of the canopies as indicated on the colored elevations. The signage is integrated into the building design theme. The signage will not be a visual competition to other properties and individual letter will be used.

That concludes all signage. As far as free standing signage- that is not part of the scope for this project.

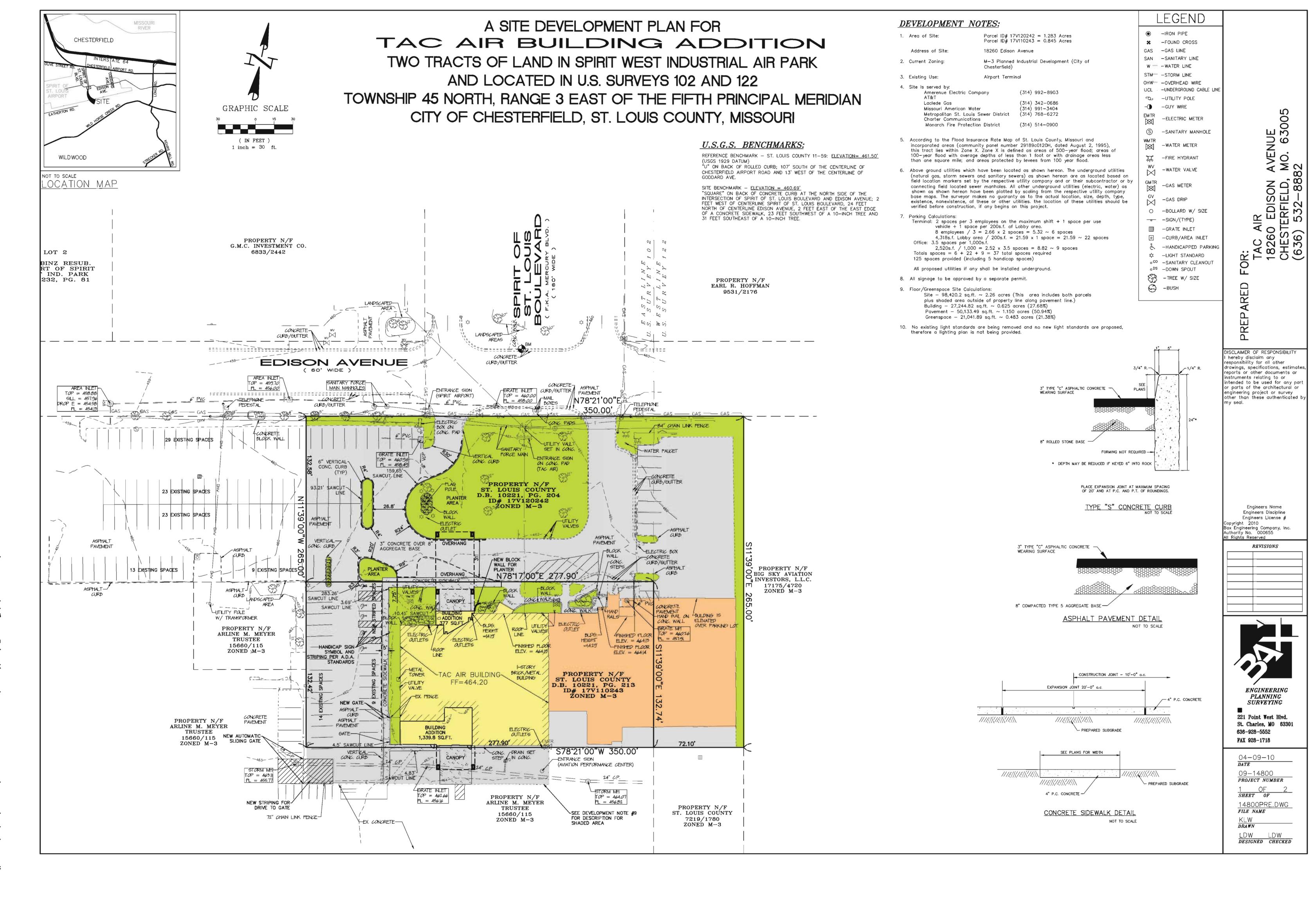
F. Lighting

 Site lighting will be existing with no work. There will be a new wall pack mounted above new door in the back of the building (south façade) for added safety. Any existing lights that are removed for the new façade will be added back to the building once the work is performed. New down-lights will be used on the canopies to provide more illumination for pedestrians.

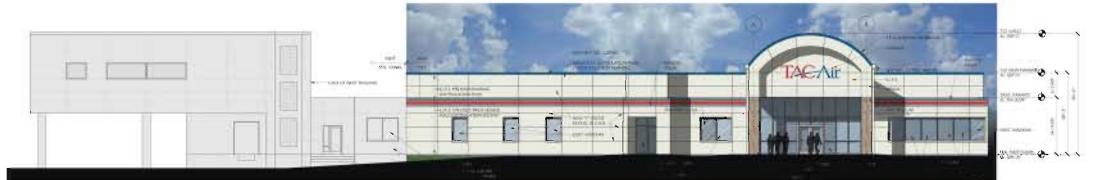
Specific Requirements for the Chesterfield Valley

- Facades: All three facades have been designed to an equal level of detail and quality. The elevations of the proposed additions and alterations will blend with the existing surrounding architecture.
- Pedestrian Circulation: While save and obvious pedestrian circulations patterns already exist on site, they will be improved by wider and newly improved sidewalks around the building.
- Storage: Not applicable.
- Utilities: All on-site underground utilities will remain unchanged and meet the required design criteria.
- Parking: This project requires no additional parking.

End of Architect's Statement



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WEST ELEVATION SCALE: NOT TO SCALE



SOUTH ELEVATION SCALE: NOT TO SCALE

PROPOSED ELEVATIONS

SCALE: NOT TO SCALE APRIL 14, 2010



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View from Edison Ave. looking South-West



View from Edison Ave. Looking South-East



View from Edison Ave. looking South



View from Edison Ave. looking East



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View from Edison Ave. looking North-East



View from Edison Ave. looking North



View from Edison Ave. Looking North-West



View from Edison Ave. looking West

SITE PHOTOS

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